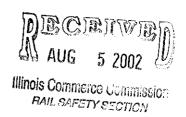
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August 1, 2002

Mr. Joe VonDeBur Railroad Safety Specialist Illinois Commerce Commission 525 East Capitol Avenue Springfield, Illinois 62701



Re:

Stipulated Agreement 989 Covering Signal and Surface Project at Cemetery Road, Carrollton, Illinois, DOT 294-590K, TO2-0052

Dear Joe:

Pursuant to our telephone conversation this morning, this letter is to advise that we have received a copy of Illinois Commerce Commission's X-Resolution approved July 23, 2002, which authorizes the improvements under the referenced agreement.

The signal portion of the project will be managed by Mr. Mike Van Tiem in our Shreveport, Louisiana, Signal Department, who can be reached at (318) 676-6269. Mr. Brian Brock will handle the surface portion of the project, and can be reached in our Kansas City office at (816) 983-1104.

It is anticipated that materials will be ordered within the next day or two, and construction scheduled shortly thereafter.

Sincerely,

Judy A. Beavert

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